

Indira Gandhi National Open University

IGNOU Regional Centre, Gandhi Bhawan, BHU Campus, Varanasi - 221005

Sub.: Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Admission - 2026

Dear Candidate,

On the basis of your marks in the B.Ed. Entrance Examination held on **29th March 2026** your name is proposed to appear before the Admission Committee. You are advised to appear before the admission committee along with below mentioned documents on **Friday, 24th July, 2026 at 10:00 A.M.** at the **IGNOU Regional Centre, Gandhi Bhawan, BHU Campus, Varanasi** positively. There is one Learner Support Centre - 27109, Faculty of Education, Kamachha Campus, BHU, Varanasi. Your name is **proposed** and this counseling is for **50+5 seats**. This offer is purely provisional and your admission will be made subject to fulfillment of eligibility criteria and verification of your certificates. In case you have applied under Other Backward Category (OBC), you have to bring your recent Family Income Certificate issued by competent authority, and only those candidates will be considered under OBC Category, whose family yearly income from all sources is less than 8.0 lakh (Only central list will be followed). Mere qualifying the exams does not give the right for admission unless and until you have the minimum eligibility criteria.

The eligibility criteria for admission are as follows:

- (a) Candidates with at least 50% marks either in the Bachelor's Degree and/or in the Master's Degree in Science/Social Sciences/Commerce/Humanity, Bachelor's in Engineering or Technology with specialization in Science and Mathematics with 55% marks or any other qualification equivalent thereto, are eligible for admission to the programme.
and
- (b) The following categories are eligible to be the students of B.Ed. (ODL):
 - (i) Trained in-service teachers in elementary education.
 - (ii) Candidates who have completed a NCTE recognized teacher education programme through face-to-face mode.

Please bring the following documents at the time of counselling.

1. Programme Fee of **Rs.60,700/-** has to be submitted through **Credit Card / Debit Card / Net Banking** after the **Confirmation of Admission**.
2. Filled-in Offer of Admission to B.Ed. Programme. **(Encl.1)**.
3. High School, Intermediate, Graduation, & Master Degree (Mark sheet & Certificate) in original as well as attested photocopies. If name differs from High School Certificate, please attach desired documents.
4. **Marksheet & Certificate of Diploma in Elementary Education - or - Marksheet & Certificate of NCTE Recognized teacher education through face-to-face mode.**
5. Regarding NCTE Qualification in teacher education programme acquired through face-to-face mode, the candidates should produce the authentication by the Certificate Issuing Authorities stating that **"the certificate awarded to the candidate is the NCTE recognized and approved teacher education programme through face-to-face mode"**. In case of non-existence of the Certificate Issuing Authorities at present, a certificate may be obtained from NCTE recognizing that course as a teacher education programme through face-to-face mode.
6. Filled in Proforma for permission of providing practical facility including internship from Principal of Secondary / Higher Secondary School (Annexure 2) strictly as per Annexure.
7. Teaching Experience Certificate (Annexure 3 & 4) strictly as per the Annexure.
8. Appointment letter issued by Present School, if you are claiming experience. Kindly attach the appointment letter as (Annexure 5).
9. Original B.Ed. Entrance Examination Hall - Ticket issued by IGNOU.
10. Please bring your one recent passport size photographs.

*** NCTE Recognition Certificate if the candidate has passed NTT or similar courses. Without NCTE Recognition Certificate, the candidate for Admission to B.Ed. will not be considered.**

By Applicants claiming reserved seat:

- 1). Original Category (SC/ST) Certificate for claiming SC/ST Seat
- 2). OBC-Non creamy Layer Certificate along with Income Certificate for claiming OBC (Non-creamy Layer) Seat. The Certificate, not older than 3 years (Only central list will be followed).
- 3). Certificate of Physically Handicapped for claiming PH Category seat, with a minimum of 40% disability.
- 4). War-widow Certificate for claiming War Widow Seat
- 5). Candidates claiming reservation under EWS are required to submit the latest EWS certificate (valid for the year 2026-27).

By the Applicants whose name is changed after High School (all documents listed below):

- 6). Affidavit sworn in before 1st Class Magistrate specifying the change in the name.
- 7). A copy of Newspaper, where notification for change of name was published
- 8). Copy of the Gazette Notification (not required for female candidates after marriage)
- 9). In case of changed Surname after marriage, Marriage Certificate issued by Registrar (Marriages) or Marriage Card or Affidavit in this regard along with the name of husband.

This offer of admission is purely provisional and is based on the documents of qualification and experience submitted by you alongwith the application form. If at any later stage, it is found that the document (s)/claim submitted by you is/are false, your admission will be cancelled, and no fee refund will be admissible in the event of such cancellation of admission, as well as University may take legal action against you.

The following points may be noted by the candidate:

1. Your fulfillment of Basic Eligibility Criteria as mentioned in BED Admission Prospectus - 2026.
2. Production of authentication certificate regarding possession of NCTE recognized/approved course/diploma in education in face-to-face mode. The Certificate should state that **“the certificate awarded to the candidate is the NCTE recognized and approved teacher education programme through face-to-face mode”**. In case of non-existence of the Certificate Issuing Authorities at present, a certificate may be obtained from NCTE recognizing that course as a teacher education programme through face-to-face mode.
3. You have to be present in person on the time specified and in case you are not present your seat will be allotted to next candidate in order of merit.
4. In case your name is in waiting list, you have to submit your fees through online mode only after the confirmation of your admission.
5. You have to make your own arrangement for stay. No TA/DA will be paid by the University as well as Regional Centre, Varanasi.
6. Upon confirmation of your admission, you will strictly be allotted the **IGNOU, Learner Support Centre – 27109, Faculty of Education, Kamachha Campus, BHU, Varanasi**. The same will not be transferred/ changed in any circumstances in future.
7. **The canvassing of any kind for admission or the change of Learner Support Centre for workshop I & II will not be entertained under any circumstances.**
8. There will be Register of Attendance of all applicants coming for counseling and the candidates have to put their signature and time of arrival prior to the counseling.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

(Dr. Upendra Nabh Tripathi)
Regional Director & Head